#### 3. CONSIDERATION OF AGENDA ITEMS

#### 3.1 2017/18 Draft Medium Term Revenue and Expenditure Framework

File No.: 3/2/2/16 Responsible Official: R.Ontong

**Directorate:** Financial Services **Portfolio:** Finance

#### **Purpose**

The purpose of this submission is to present the 2017/18 MTREF Draft Budget.

#### **Legal Framework**

Section 16 of the Municipal Finance Management Act states:

#### "Annual budgets

- 16. (1) The council of a municipality must for each financial year approve an annual budget for the municipality before the start of that financial year.
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  - (3) Subsection (1) does not preclude the appropriation of money for capital expenditure for a period not exceeding three financial years, provided a separate appropriation is made for each of those financial years.

#### Contents of annual budgets and supporting documents

- 17. (1) An annual budget of a municipality must be a schedule in the prescribed format
  - (a) setting out realistically anticipated revenue for the budget year from each revenue source:
  - (b) Appropriating expenditure for the budget year under the different votes of the municipality;
  - (c) Setting out indicative revenue per revenue source and projected expenditure by vote for the two financial years following the budget year;
  - (d) Setting out
    - (i) Estimated revenue and expenditure by vote for the current year; and
    - (ii) Actual revenue and expenditure by vote for the financial year preceding the current year; and
  - (e) A statement containing any other information required by section 215(3) of the Constitution or as may be prescribed"

#### **Financial Implications**

The financial implications of the 2017/18 MTREF draft budget is captured in the Budget Report.

#### **Annexures**

Municipal Budget and Reporting Regulations Schedule-A Budget tables (Annexure A)

#### Quality Certificate (Annexure B)

Revised Budget Related Policies (Annexure C)

- Credit Control and Debt Collection Policy
- Funding and Reserves Policy
- Insurance Management Policy
- Long Term Financial Plan Policy
- Property Rates Policy
- Tariff Policy
- Write-off Policy
- Asset Management Policy
- Borrowing Policy
- Budget Implementation and Management Policy
- Budget Virement Policy
- Costing Policy
- Supply Chain Management Policy
- Relief and charitable fund Policy

#### Municipal Tariffs (Annexure D)

Municipal Finance Management Act Budget Circulars (Annexure E)

### FINAL MEDIUM TERM REVENUE AND **EXPENDITURE FRAMEWORK** 2017/2018 - 2019/2020

# BREEDE VALLEY

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#### **Abbreviations and Acronyms**

AMR Automated Meter Reading

ASGISA Accelerated and Shared Growth Initiative

BPC Budget Planning Committee

CBD Central Business District CFO Chief Financial Officer CPI Consumer Price Index

CRRF Capital Replacement Reserve Fund DBSA Development Bank of South Africa

DORA Division of Revenue Act
DWA Department of Water Affairs

EE Employment Equity

EEDSM Energy Efficiency Demand Side Management

EM Executive Mayor FBS Free basic services

GAMAP Generally Accepted Municipal Accounting Practice

GDP Gross domestic product

GDS Gauteng Growth and Development Strategy

GFS Government Financial Statistics

GRAP General Recognised Accounting Practice

HR Human Resources

HSRC Human Science Research Council IDP Integrated Development Strategy

IT Information Technology

kl kilolitre km kilometre

KPA Key Performance Area
KPI Key Performance Indicator

kWh kilowatt-hour

ℓ litre

LED Local Economic Development

MEC Member of the Executive Committee MFMA Municipal Financial Management Act

MIG Municipal Infrastructure Grant

MM Municipal Manager

MMC Member of Mayoral Committee MPRA Municipal Properties Rates Act

MSA Municipal Systems Act

MTEF Medium-term Expenditure Framework

MTREF Medium-term Revenue and Expenditure Framework

NERSA National Electricity Regulator South Africa

NGO Non-Governmental organisations
NKPIs National Key Performance Indicators
OHS Occupational Health and Safety

OP Operational Plan

PBO Public Benefit Organisations

PHC Provincial Health Care

PMS Performance Management System

PPE Property Plant and Equipment

PPP Public Private Partnership

PTIS Public Transport Infrastructure System

RG Restructuring Grant

RSC Regional Services Council

SALGA South African Local Government Association

SAPS South African Police Service

SDBIP Service Delivery Budget Implementation Plan

SMME Small Micro and Medium Enterprises

#### PART 1 - Annual Budget

#### 1. Mayor's Report

The mayor's report is encapsulated in the executive summary further down.

#### 2. Resolutions

It is recommended to council that in respect of the 2017/18 MTREF, and outer financial years that council approves the 2017/18 MTREF draft budget in terms of section 24 of the Municipal Finance Management Act.

#### 3. Executive Summary

#### 3.1 Legislative Background

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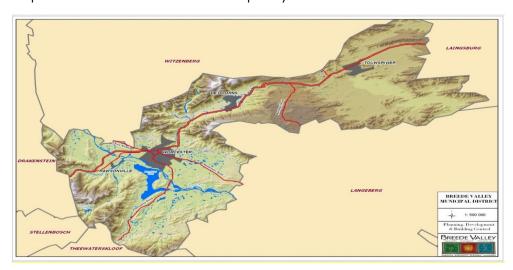
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#### 3.2 Municipal General Overview

The map below outlines the geographical area of Breede Valley Municipality. As per the map Breede Valley Municipality serves the towns of De Doorns, Rawsonville, Touwsrivier and Worcester. Surrounding municipalities include Drakenstein Municipality, Langeberg Municipality, Laingsburg Municipality, Stellenbosch Municipality, Theewaterskloof and Witzenberg Municipality. All the mentioned municipalities, including Breede Valley Municipality forms part of the Cape Winelands District Municipality.



Strategic Framework, Pillars and Objectives of the Municipality



#### **Strategic Pillars & Objectives**

BREEDE VALLEY

Strategic Pillars	Strategic Objectives
Opportunity	To create a unique and caring Valley of service excellence, opportunity and growth
Safety	To ensure a safe, healthy, clean and sustainable external environment for all Breede Valley's People
Caring	To create and enabling environment for employment and poverty eradication through pro-active economic development and tourism
Inclusive	To provide democratic, accountable government for local communities and encourage involvement of communities and community organisations in the matters of local government
Well-run municipality	To assure a sustainable future through sound financial management, continuous revenue growth, corporate governance and risk management practises

#### 3.3 Budget Principles and Criteria

The 2017/18 MTREF was compiled based on the following principles and criteria:

#### Credibility

- Planned Activities must be consistent with the IDP and vice versa.
- Financial viability of municipality should not jeopardised.
- Ensure Capacity to spend the budget.

#### Sustainability

- Financial sustainability/ overall financial health of Municipality.
- Revenue/ Expenditure budgeted must be realistic.

#### Responsiveness

- To the needs of the community / public.
- Alignment of IDP, LED Strategies with Budget to give effect to provincial and national priorities.
- Budget must be responsive to economic growth objectives and the socio-economic needs of the community.

#### **Affordability**

• Tariffs must not be increased unreasonably and consumers must be able to afford tariffs.

The 2017/2018 draft budget is compiled in line with chapter 4 of the Municipal Finance Management Act, MFMA Budget Circulars and other relevant circulars and / or guidelines from National Treasury and Provincial Treasury. The final budget strives to be consistent with the financial norms and ratios as per the MFMA Circular 71 to ensure sound and sustainable management of financial affairs of the municipality. The final budget is also consistent with the Long Term Financial Plan to ensure synergy between long term planning and implementation of planning. Other important principles includes addressing the need of access to basic services and the efficient capacitation of the municipality, which is in many instances a challenge given limited financial resources.

The main challenges experienced with the compilation of the 2017/18 MTREF are as follow:

- Direct effect of the current state of the economy on larger municipalities relying on progressive economic activity.
- Ageing infrastructure and increasing service delivery backlogs.
- Increasing cost of bulk purchases versus the electricity tariff increases, resulting in pressure to maintain a balance between sustainability, growth and affordability of services.

Service charges and other revenue sources are prepared in accordance with planned activities / initiatives / developments and past performance trends to ensure that the budgeted amounts are realistic and do not negatively affect the credibility of the draft budget and the financial position of the municipality.

The operating expenditure budget compilation process was done in line with the MFMA budget circulars. In instances of inconsistencies, appropriate reasons for the corresponding deviations are provided.

MFMA circular 70 highlighted examples of non-priority spending that need to be addressed by municipalities. Breede Valley Municipality remains commitment to the elimination of these non-priority items from the 2015/16 MTREF and applying a zero percent increase on related items where elimination or a decrease in the 2017/18 MTREF budget is not possible.

Further, MFMA circular 82 on cost containment measures was also taken into consideration with the aim of promoting section 62(1)(a) of the MFMA through the effective, efficient and economical use of municipal resources.

The latest allocations from National Government and Provincial Government to Breede Valley Municipality for the 2017/18 MTREF could unfortunately not be taken into account for the compilation of the draft budget. This is due to the timing of the publication of national and provincial allocations, which would create severe challenges to comply with the legislated tabling date of latest 31 March.

The capital budget for 2016/17 aims to address the capital needs within the municipal area, given the available resources internally and externally. The main source of funding remains conditional grant allocations from National and Provincial government departments, followed by either internal funding or external loans (when applicable).

#### 3.4 Rebates

Rebates relating to Unemployed, Indigent and Pensioners (under and over 70 years of age) are displayed below:

#### 3.4.1 Rebates: Unemployed and Indigent

Household Income	Rates	Sewer	Refuse	Rental
R0 - R4 500	50%	50%	50%	100%
Max. Valuation	R 150 000			
Free Basic Services				
Electricity	50 Units			
Water	10 Kilolitre			

#### 3.4.2 Rebates: Pensioner

Household Income	Rates	Sewer	Refuse	Rental
Government Pension &				
Disability / Pensioners 60				
years aand older				
RO - R4 500	100%	100%	100%	100%
Max Valuation	R 150 000			
<u>Free Basic Services</u>				
Electricity	50 Units			
Water	10 Kilolitre			

#### 3.4.3 Rebates: Pensioner 70 years and older

Pensioners falling in this category are eligible for an additional R65 000.00 rebate on the calculation of their property rates bill. This overall rebate is capped at R150 000.00

#### 3.5 Budget Overview

The budget overview provides insight pertaining to the operating and capital budgets over the MTREF

#### 3.5.1 Operating Revenue

The table below reflects the operating revenue in relation to the current year and 2017/18 MTREF.

WC025 Breede Valley - Table A4 Budgeted Financial Performance (revenue and expenditure)

Description	Current Ye	Current Year 2016/17		rm Revenue & Exper	diture Framework
R thousand	Original Budget	Adjusted Budget	Budget Year 2017/18	Budget Year +1 2018/19	Budget Year +2 2019/20
Revenue By Source					
Property rates	113 087	113 202	137 679	145 526	153 670
Service charges - electricity revenue	385 044	385 044	400 316	423 134	446 830
Service charges - water revenue	54 159	54 159	65 274	68 995	72 85
Service charges - sanitation revenue	58 398	58 398	57 393	60 664	64 06
Service charges - refuse revenue	33 433	33 433	41 015	43 352	45 78
Service charges - other	(25 784)	(25 784)	(17 700)	(18 709)	(19 75)
Rental of facilities and equipment	14 655	14 655	14 492	15 318	16 17
Interest earned - external investments	10 000	12 000	10 620	11 225	11 85
Interest earned - outstanding debtors	2 834	4 000	3 009	3 181	3 35
Dividends received	_	-	-	-	-
Fines, penalties and forfeits	63 320	87 720	67 244	71 077	75 05
Licences and permits	2 987	2 987	3 173	3 353	3 54
Agency services	6 942	6 942	7 373	7 793	8 22
Transfers and subsidies	134 048	138 214	146 572	189 947	118 83
Other revenue	8 539	8 639	6 900	7 294	7 70:
Gains on disposal of PPE	1 060	1 060	1 126	1 190	1 257
Total Revenue (excluding capital transfers and contributions)	862 723	894 671	944 486	1 033 342	1 009 46°

The overall operating revenue (excluding capital transfers and contributions) is budgeted to increase by 5.57 percent from the 2016/17 adjustment budget

amount. The increases over the outer years amount to 9.41 percent and -2.31 percent for financial years 2018/19 and 2019/20 respectively.

Based on the current economic climate within the Breede Valley municipal area, tariffs (excluding electricity) were kept in line with the guidelines as per MFMA budget circular. This inflation linked increase in tariffs aim to promote sustainability of the revenue, other than the counterproductive method of increasing tariffs to such an extent that the collection rate deteriorates.

**Property Rates**: Budgeted revenue is anticipated to increase by 21.62 percent. This increase is mainly attributed to the new Supplementary Valuation roll being implemented during March 2017.

**Electricity Revenue**: Electricity revenue is projected to increase by 3.97 percent based on the current trend and 2.6 percent average increase (households) as per the NERSA guideline.

**Service Charges:** Water revenue, refuse revenue and sanitation revenue are projected in line with the prescribed 6 percent increase.

**Interest on External Investments:** The investment revenue for the 2017/18 financial year is projected to decrease by 11.50 percent. This decrease is informed by the municipality's current investment portfolio, and the anticipated return on investments to be made during the 2017/18 financial year. The increase and acceleration of the capital program also result in less funds being available for longer term investing.

Interest Earned – Outstanding Debtors: the decrease in outstanding debtors is due to improved credit control mechanisms and debt collection procedures. The municipality is also in the process of establishing a municipal court which is anticipated to decrease the debtors book, which will also decrease the interest earned on outstanding debt.

**Fines:** Revenue to be generated from fines is projected to decrease by -23.34 percent in 2017/18 due to the higher than anticipated increase during the current year adjustment budget.

**Transfers Recognised - Operational:** This revenue item is based on the operational transfers (conditional and unconditional) to be received from National and Provincial Government as communicated with the compilation of the 2016/17 MTREF. The latest grants could not be used due to the timing of the publications by national and provincial government.

#### 3.5.2 Operating Expenditure

The table below reflects the operating expenditure in relation to the current year and 2017/18 MTREF.

WC025 Breede Valley - Table A4 Budgeted Financial Performance (revenue and expenditure)

Description	Current Ye	ear 2016/17	2017/18 Medium Te	rm Revenue & Exper	nditure Framework
R thousand	Original Budget	Adjusted Budget	Budget Year 2017/18	Budget Year +1 2018/19	Budget Year +2 2019/20
Expenditure By Type					
Employee related costs	270 803	266 709	299 640	316 047	333 113
Remuneration of councillors	16 168	15 684	16 468	17 406	18 381
Debt impairment	52 379	75 539	55 626	58 797	62 090
Depreciation & asset impairment	84 095	84 095	81 759	86 420	91 259
Finance charges	28 412	28 412	26 116	27 605	29 150
Bulk purchases	275 693	275 693	276 151	291 892	308 238
Other materials	55 423	56 305	62 469	66 030	69 728
Contracted services	10 243	9 934	9 366	9 900	10 455
Transfers and subsidies	738	738	279	295	311
Other expenditure	119 616	125 924	130 678	170 249	100 870
Loss on disposal of PPE	230	230	3 125	3 304	3 489
Total Expenditure	913 800	939 263	961 678	1 047 945	1 027 084

Total budgeted operating expenditure for the 2017/18 financial year amounts to R961.68 million, suggesting a 2.39 percent increase from the 2016/17 adjusted budget amount.

In principle, the municipality applied an inflation linked increase to the 2015/16 actual to arrive at the 2017/18 draft budget figures. This inflation percentage was however not applied to all operating expenditures due to the corresponding reasons which are listed further down. These items are as follow:

**Employee related cost:** Employee related cost is based on the Salary and Wage Collective Agreement for the period 1 July 2015 to 30 June 2018. As per the agreement 2016/17 salary and wage increase should be equal to average CPI (Feb 2015 – Jan 2016) +1 percent.

Based on table A4, employee related cost is projected to increase by 12.35 percent. This increase is based on amendments to be made on the current structure. The personnel budget is calculated for the full 12 months of the financial year, regardless of when the post are to be filled. The savings that arise from filling vacancies later than the start of the financial year, are then used during the adjustment budget to finance other priorities and as contributions to the CRR.

Thus, the percentage increase from 2016/17 to 2017/18 appears excessive, but given the decreased adjusted budget figure in the current year, and the fact that the "12 month principle" is applied for the 2017/18 financial year also, we can rather compare the 2017/18 amount to the 2016/17 original budget amount. This increase is also influenced by the implementation of TASK process currently underway that may have the effect of certain employees earning higher salaries.

**Depreciation and asset impairment:** Depreciation is calculated based on the useful lives of assets, which are currently being reviewed. The commission date of the majority of capital projects are more to the end of the financial year (based on past trends), resulting in new additions not having a full year's depreciation, but only a part thereof.

**Finance charges:** No borrowings will be taken up in 2017/18. The finance charges are calculated based on the municipality's borrowing portfolio. It should also be noted that the interest portion of the repayment decreases over the term of the loan.

**Bulk Purchases:** This item comprises of electricity and water bulk purchases. The component relating to water is adjusted with 6.1 percent, whereas the electricity component is calculated based on the NERSA guideline.

**Other materials:** This item consists of repair and maintenance. The above inflation linked increase observed is due to planned maintenance needing to take place during the 2017/18 financial year. This is as per OHS requirements. The repair and maintenance displayed on table SA1 excludes the internal repair and maintenance expenditure performed by internal staff members.

**Other expenditure:** The low percentage increase in other expenditure is due to the cost containment not being increased. Please refer to SA1 for the detail.

#### 3.5.3 Capital budget

## MBRR Table A5 - Budgeted Capital Expenditure by standard classification and funding source

WC025 Breede Valley - Table A5 Budgeted Capital Expenditure by vote, functional classification and fundi

Vote Description	2017/18 Medium Te	2017/18 Medium Term Revenue & Expenditure Framework				
R thousand	Budget Year 2017/18	Budget Year +1 2018/19	Budget Year +2 2019/20			
Capital expenditure - Vote						
Multi-year expenditure to be appropriated						
Vote 1 - Council General	- 1	-	_			
Vote 2 - Municipal Manager	-	-	_			
Vote 3 - Strategic Support Services	- 1	-	_			
Vote 4 - Financial Services	- 1	-	_			
Vote 5 - Community Services	- 1	-	_			
Vote 6 - Technical Services	_	-	_			
Capital multi-year expenditure sub-total	- 1	-	-			
Single-year expenditure to be appropriated						
Vote 1 - Council General	5	_	_			
Vote 2 - Municipal Manager	4 130	2 625	_			
Vote 3 - Strategic Support Services	6 320	7 913	3 813			
Vote 4 - Financial Services	805	800	800			
Vote 5 - Community Services	9 693	12 897	2 785			
Vote 6 - Technical Services	133 707	152 806	31 524			
Capital single-year expenditure sub-total	154 660	177 041	38 921			
Total Capital Expenditure - Vote	154 660	177 041	38 921			
Capital Expenditure - Functional						
Governance and administration	11 560	11 638	4 913			
Executive and council	15	11 030	4 9 1 3			
Finance and administration	805	800	800			
Internal audit	10 740	10 838	4 113			
Community and public safety	13 678	13 497	3 385			
Community and social services	660	15 431	303			
Sport and recreation	1 740	600	755			
Public safety	11 278	12 897	2 600			
Housing	-	12 037	2 000			
Health		_				
Economic and environmental services	7 988	23 892	3 000			
Planning and development	7 300	23 092	3 000			
Road transport	7 988	23 892	3 000			
Environmental protection	7 900	23 092	3 000			
Trading services	121 434	128 014	27 624			
Energy sources	32 757	19 831	15 335			
Water management	28 551	63 107	241			
Waste management Waste water management	43 683	42 176	9 298			
Waste management	16 443	2 900	2 750			
Other	10 443	2 900	2 750			
Total Capital Expenditure - Functional	154 660	177 041	38 921			
•	134 000	041	03 321			
Funded by:		12.25				
National Government	37 214	40 087	-			
Provincial Government	41 625	74 375	-			
District Municipality	- [	-	-			
Other transfers and grants		-	_			
Transfers recognised - capital	78 839	114 462	-			
Public contributions & donations	-	-	-			
Borrowing	10 500	-	_			
Internally generated funds	65 321	62 579	38 921			
Total Capital Funding	154 660	177 041	38 921			

The total capital budget for the 2017/18 financial year amounts to R154.66 million. As per the table above, the majority of funding is allocated to trading services which will ultimately promote service delivery and revenue generation. No multi-year projects have been identified, suggesting that the total capital budget will be implemented as single-year projects.

The municipality implemented quarterly budget engagements where performance of the capital budget & Grant funding are tracked. Grant funding is anticipated to be 100% implemented in the current financial year.

Kindly refer to \$A36 for the detail capital budget.

#### 4. Annual Budget Tables

The budget tables prepared in accordance with the Municipal Finance Management Act, and Municipal Budget and Reporting Regulations are listed in below:

- **Table A1** Budget Summary
- Table A2 Budgeted Financial Performance (Revenue and Expenditure by standard classification)
- Table A3 Budgeted Financial Performance (revenue and expenditure by municipal vote)
- Table A4 Budgeted Financial Performance (revenue and expenditure)
- Table A5 Budgeted Capital Expenditure by vote, standard classification and funding
- Table A6 Budgeted Financial Position
- Table A7 Budgeted Cash Flows
- Table A8 Cash Backed Reserves / Accumulated Surplus Reconciliation
- Table A9 Asset Management
- Table A10 Basic Service Delivery Measurement

Kindly refer to Appendix A for the detailed Schedule A tables.

Breede Valley Municipality do not have any entities, therefore, no consolidation of budget information and tables are presented in the document and other supporting documentation.

#### PART 2 – Supporting Documentation

#### 5. Overview of Annual Budget Process



	STEP	PROCESS
1.	Planning	Schedule key dates, establish consultation forums, review previous processes
2.	Strategising	Review IDP, Determine priorities, set service delivery targets and objectives for the next three years, consult on tariffs, indigent, credit control, free basic services, etc and consult local, provincial, and national issues, previous years performance and current economic and demographic trends.
3.	Preparing	Prepare budget, revenue, expenditure projections, draft budget policies, consult and consider local, provincial and national priorities.
4.	Tabling	Table draft budget, IDP and budget related policies before the council, consult and consider formal local, provincial, and national inputs and responses.
5.	Approving	Council approves budget and related policies.
6.	Finalising/ Implementation	Publish and approve SDBIP and annual Performance agreements and indicators. Publish Budget in terms of sect.22 MFMA

DETAIL PROCESS FOLLOWED AND MSA AND IDP CREDIBILITY REQUIREMENTS				
ISSUE	TIMEFRAME			
IDP/Budget Process Plan/Timetable approved by council	August 2016			
IDP Meetings - inputs from Ward Councilors & Ward Committees	October - November 2016			
First IDP/ Budget Steering Committee Meeting	November 2016			
Departmental inputs on Draft allocations	November and December 2016			
Second Budget Steering Committee - Consider Adjustment budget	January 2017			
IDP Rep Forum Consultation	November 2016 March 2017			
Draft Budget input captured and Budget balanced	March 2017			
Draft IDP & Budget tabled in Council	March 2017			
IDP & Budget workshop - Council	March - April 2017			
Public Consultation	March - April 2017			
Finalise Sector / Dept Strategy Plan / Budget - IDP	April 2017			
Consideration of Comments received	April 2017			
Tabling of Final MTREF	End May 2017			

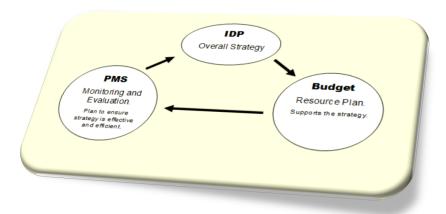
The IDP / Budget process plan was consulted with all relevant stakeholders, whom are:

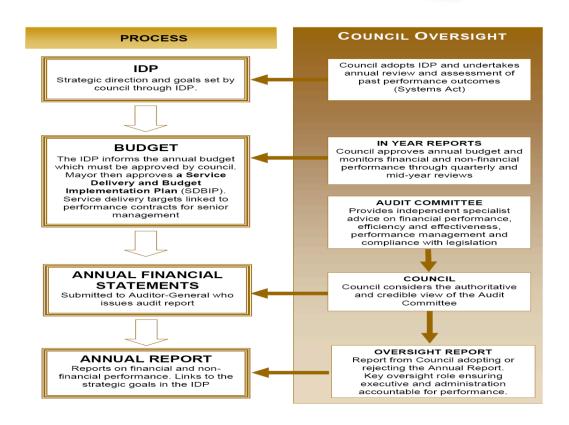
- Council
- Executive Mayor and Mayoral Committee
- Accounting Officer
- Management
- Institutional Committees

- District Municipality (Cape Winelands District Municipality)
- Intergovernmental (National Treasury, Provincial Treasury and Department of Local Government)
- Ward councillors, ward committees and community in wards

#### 6. Overview of alignment of annual budget with Integrated Development Plan

The below diagrams illustrates the link between the municipality's IDP and Budget





## MBRR Table SA4 - Reconciliation between the IDP strategic objectives and budgeted revenue

WC025 Breede Valley - Supporting Table SA4 Reconciliation of IDP strategic objectives and budget (revenue)

0. ( 0		Goal			& Expenditure
Strategic Objective	Goal	Code		Framework	
R thousand	00000000000000000000000000000000000000		Budget Year 2017/18	Budget Year +1 2018/19	Budget Year +2 2019/20
To provide, maintain and assure basic services and social upliftment for the	Sustainable basic services to				
Breede Valley community	communities	1	749 992	856 765	719 008
To create an enabling environment for employment and poverty eradication	Poverty eradication through LED				
through proactive economic development and tourism	and Tourism	2	(78)	(83)	(87)
To ensure a safe, healthy, clean and sustainable external environment for all the	Safe, healthy and clean				
residents in the Breede Valley	environment	3	77 096	84 646	86 054
Provide democratic, accountable government for local communities and					
encourage involvement of communities and community organisations in the	Good governance and public				
matters of local government	participation	4	12 436	11 354	(333)
Ensure a healthy and productive workforce and an effective and efficient work					` ′
environment	Healthy and productive workforce	5	1 241	1 249	157
Assure a sustainable future through sound financial management, continuous	Sound financial management,				
revenue growth corporate governance and risk management practices	viability and risk management	6	182 639	193 873	204 662
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Allocations to other priorities					
Total Revenue (excluding capital transfers and contributions)			1 023 325	1 147 804	1 009 461

## MBRR Table SA5 - Reconciliation between the IDP strategic objectives and budgeted operating expenditure

WC025 Breede Valley - Supporting Table SA5 Reconciliation of IDP strategic objectives and budget (operating expenditure)

Strategic Objective	Goal	Goal Code	2017/18 Mediur	n Term Revenue Framework	& Expenditure
R thousand	***		Budget Year 2017/18	Budget Year +1 2018/19	Budget Year +2 2019/20
To provide, maintain and assure basic services and social upliftment for the Breede	Sustainable basic services to				
Valley community	communities	1	660 602	730 425	695 456
To create an enabling environment for employment and poverty eradication through	Poverty eradication through LED				
proactive economic development and tourism	and Tourism	2	4 814	4 484	4 735
To ensure a safe, healthy, clean and sustainable external environment for all the	Safe, healthy and clean				
residents in the Breede Valley	environment	3	118 503	125 258	132 273
Provide democratic, accountable government for local communities and encourage					
involvement of communities and community organisations in the matters of local	Good governance and public				
government	participation	4	87 009	91 890	96 540
Ensure a healthy and productive workforce and an effective and efficient work					
environment	Healthy and productive workforce	5	11 244	11 823	11 323
Assure a sustainable future through sound financial management, continuous	Sound financial management,				
revenue growth corporate governance and risk management practices	viabiilty and risk management	6	79 505	84 065	86 756
Allocations to other priorities	Allocations to other priorities				
Total Expenditure			961 678	1 047 945	1 027 084

### MBRR Table SA6 - Reconciliation between the IDP strategic objectives and budgeted capital expenditure

WC025 Breede Valley - Supporting Table SA6 Reconciliation of IDP strategic objectives and budget (capital expenditure)

Strategic Objective	Goal	Goal Code	2017/18 Mediur	n Term Revenue Framework	& Expenditure
Debaussed			Budget Year	Budget Year	Budget Year
R thousand			2017/18	+1 2018/19	+2 2019/20
To provide, maintain and assure basic services and social upliftment for the Breede	Sustainable basic services to				
Valley community	communities	1	134 812	152 806	31 679
To create an enabling environment for employment and poverty eradication through	Poverty eradication through LED				
proactive economic development and tourism	and Tourism	2	-	-	-
To ensure a safe, healthy, clean and sustainable external environment for all the	Safe, healthy and clean				
residents in the Breede Valley	environment	3	7 898	12 897	2 600
Provide democratic, accountable government for local communities and encourage					
involvement of communities and community organisations in the matters of local	Good governance and public				
government	participation	4	10 795	10 538	3 843
Ensure a healthy and productive workforce and an effective and efficient work					
environment	Healthy and productive workforce	5	350	-	-
Assure a sustainable future through sound financial management, continuous revenue	Sound financial management,				
growth corporate governance and risk management practices	viabiilty and risk management	6	805	800	800
Allocations to other priorities					
Total Capital Expenditure	***************************************		154 660	177 041	38 921

#### 7. Measurable performance objectives and indicators

SA7 provides the main measurable performance objectives the municipality undertakes to achieve this financial year.

Please refer to SA7 in Annexure A.

#### 8. MBRR Table SA8 - Performance indicators and benchmarks

The following table sets out the municipalities main performance objectives and benchmarks for the 2016/17 MTREF.

Please refer to table SA8 of Annexure 1.

#### 9. Overview of Budget Related Policies

The following budget related policies are in use:

- Asset Management Policy
- Borrowing Policy
- Budget Policy
- Budget Virement Policy
- Costing Policy
- Credit Control and Debt Collection Policy
- Funding and Reserves Policy
- Insurance Management Policy
- Long Term Financial Plan Policy

- Property Rates Policy
- Tariff Policy
- Write-off Policy
- Supply Chain Management Policy.
- Relief and charitable fund policy

Please refer to annexure D for the budget related policies.

#### 10. Overview of Budget Assumptions

The following budget assumptions were used as basis for compilation of the 2016/2017 MTREF:

#### • Tariff increases:

Service	Percentage Increase (%)
Electricity	As per NERSA guideline
Water	6.1%
Sewerage	6.1%
Refuse	6.1%

<sup>\*</sup>Kindly refer to Annexure E for the complete list of tariffs

- CPIX = 6.4 percent (MFMA budget circular)
- Employee related cost is based on the Salary and Wage Collective Agreement for the period 1 July 2015 to 30 June 2018. As per the agreement 2017/18 salary and wage increase should be equal to average CPI (Feb 2016 – Jan 2017) +1 percent.
- Government Grant will be received as gazetted by National and Provincial Government.
- Electricity bulk purchases in line with NERSA guideline.
- Minimal growth in revenue base. Mostly related to low cost housing.
- No / limited increases applied on cost containment items.
- Indigent households is anticipated to increase to 8000 households (formal)
- Budgeted collection rate equals to 96 percent
- Conditional grant will be fully spent
- No borrowings to be undertaken over the MTREF
- Credit rating: Baa1.za

#### 11. Overview of Budget Funding

#### Funding sources of operating expenditure budget.

WC025 Breede Valley - Table A1 Budget Summary

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Description	2017/18 Mediu	2017/18 Medium Term Revenue & Expenditure Framework				
R thousands	Budget Year 2017/18	Budget Year +1 2018/19	Budget Year +2 2019/20			
Financial Performance						
Property rates	137 679	145 526	153 676			
Service charges	546 299	577 438	609 774			
Investment revenue	10 620	11 225	11 854			
Transfers recognised - operational	146 572	189 947	118 836			
Other own revenue	103 317	109 206	115 322			
Total Revenue (excluding capital transfers and contributions)	944 486	1 033 342	1 009 461			

The table above is a summarised version of the operating revenues over the budget year and two outer years. This overview provides the funding for operating expenditure to be incurred in future financial years.

#### Funding sources of capital expenditure budget

WC025 Breede Valley - Table A5 Budgeted Capital Expenditure by vote, functional classification and fundi

Vote Description	2017/18 Medium Te	2017/18 Medium Term Revenue & Expenditure Framework					
R thousand	Budget Year 2017/18	Budget Year +1 2018/19	Budget Year +2 2019/20				
Funded by:							
National Government	37 214	40 087	-				
Provincial Government	41 625	74 375	-				
District Municipality	_	-	-				
Other transfers and grants	_	-	_				
Transfers recognised - capital	78 839	114 462	_				
Public contributions & donations	_	-	-				
Borrowing	10 500	-	-				
Internally generated funds	65 321	62 579	38 921				
Total Capital Funding	154 660	177 041	38 921				

Similar to the operating revenue, the capital funding indicates how the capital programme of the municipality will be financed in future years. Based on the above table, it is clear that the municipality is largely grant dependant when external funding (loans) are not being taken up.

Internal funding in the form of the Capital Replacement Reserve (CRR) is cash backed and sufficient to cover the related capital expenditure projects for the

budget year. The municipality remains committed in growing the CRR by making contributions to this reserve to enable better service delivery in the form of capital expenditure. Projects funded from the CRR will be closely monitored to aid implementation and where adjustments are required due to implementation challenges, funds will be directed or reprioritised as per the prerogative of management, through the guidance of the IDP and / or the municipality's financial status.

Loans taken up in previous financial years were taken up to address capital needs, which could not be financed by internal cash reserves. As per the table above, a portion of the unspent external loan are transferred to the 2017/18 budget year for implementation.

#### 12. Expenditure on allocations and grant programmes

#### MBRR SA19 - Expenditure on transfers and grant programmes

Kindly refer to table SA19 of Annexure A.

#### 13. Allocations or grants made by the municipality

#### MBRR SA21- Transfers and grants made by the municipality

Kindly refer to table SA21 of Annexure A.

#### 14. Councillors and board members allowances and employee benefits

### MBRR SA23 - Salaries, allowances and benefits (political office bearers/councillors/ senior managers)

WC025 Breede Valley - Supporting Table SA23 Salaries, allowances & benefits (political office bearers/councillors/senior managers)

Disclosure of Salaries, Allowances & Benefits 1.	Ref		Salary	Contributions	Allowances	Performance Bonuses	In-kind benefits	Total Package
		No.		1.				2.
Councillors	3							
Speaker	4	1	543 780	102 600	46 447			692 827
Chief Whip		1	448 080	128 786	67 910			644 776
Executive Mayor		1	629 640	115 200	110 261			855 101
Deputy Executive Mayor		1	519 780	97 800	75 247			692 827
Executive Committee		8	4 026 634	679 890	451 684			5 158 208
Total for all other councillors		29	6 847 033	478 458	1 098 552			8 424 043
Total Councillors	8	41	13 014 947	1 602 734	1 850 101			16 467 782
Senior Managers of the Municipality	5							
Municipal Manager (MM)		1	1 298 659	61 171	128 576	-		1 488 406
Chief Finance Officer		1	961 031	210 490	188 868	-		1 360 389
Director: Community Services		1	1 039 865	224 814	148 837	-		1 413 516
Director: Technical Services		1	1 027 421	175 249	208 800	-		1 411 470
Director: Strategic Support Services		1	958 734	213 131	196 800	-		1 368 665
Total Senior Managers of the Municipality	8.10	5	5 285 710	884 855	871 881	_		7 042 446

#### 15. Monthly targets for revenue, expenditure and cash flow

#### MBRR SA25 - Budgeted monthly revenue and expenditure

#### 16. Contracts having future budgetary implications

#### MBRR SA33 – Contracts having future budgetary implications

Please refer to table SA33 of annexure A.

#### MBRR SA35 - Future financial implications of the capital budget

Please refer to table SA35 of annexure A.

#### 17. Capital expenditure details

#### MBRR SA36 - Detailed capital budget per municipal vote

Please refer to table SA36 of annexure A.

#### 18. Legislation compliance status

Compliance with the MFMA implementation requirements have been substantially adhered to through the following activities:

- **In-year reporting**: Reporting to National Treasury and Provincial Treasuries are done in line with the legislated prescripts.
- Internship programme: This programme is fully functional within the municipality with 5 interns being employed under this programme. Four of the interns are currently rotating within the Finance Directorate, and one being developed in our Internal Audit section / unit.
- **Budget and Treasury Office**: The Budget and Treasury Office has been established in accordance with the MFMA.
- Audit Committee: An Audit Committee has been established and is fully functional.
- Service Delivery and Implementation Plan
- Annual Report: Annual report is compiled in terms of the MFMA and National Treasury requirements.
- MFMA Training
- Policies

#### 19. Other supporting documents

Please refer to annexures E for MFMA budget circular

#### 20. Annual budgets of municipal entities attached to the annual budget

No municipal entities.

#### **COMMENTS BY OTHER DIRECTORATES**

Acting Director Strategic Services – Recommendation supported

Acting Director Community Services – Recommendation supported

Director Technical Services – Recommendation supported

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

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- 2. Council approves the Quality Certificate to the draft budget signed by the Accounting Officer, as per Annexure B.
- 3. Council approves the revised draft budget related policies as per Annexure C.
- 4. Council approves the draft tariffs, draft tariff structures and service delivery charges for water, electricity, refuse, sewerage, and other municipal services as per Annexure D

THE SPEAKER APPROVES THE REQUEST FROM THE ANC FOR A CAUCUS OF 15 MINUTES.

**CAUCUS STARTS AT 10:15** 

**MEETING RECONVENES AT-10:30** 

PROPOSED: CLLR K. VAN DER HORST

SECONDED: CLLR J.F.VAN ZYL

Cllr J.F. Van Zyl in addition to Cllr K.Van der Horst's proposal proposes that the Speaker in terms of Rule 6 of the Rules of Order make a ruling on the request of the opposition that the Municipal Manager takes the Council briefly through the documentation and that he further seconds the proposal of Cllr K.Van der Horst.

Votes in favor of recommendation: 21

No votes against the recommendation.

RESOLVED C25/2017

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